

TWENTY-NINTH YEAR.—NO. 27.

# Hancock County Bank.

SOLE AGENTS FOR VINOL. BAY ST. LOUIS, MISS

# Hesterfield

—FOR SALE—Ford automobile;  
in good running condition. R. W.  
Webb, telephone 89.















Once a man, who didn't believe in banks, was ploughing, and he plowed up a tin can containing \$500.00 that had been buried by some other man who did not believe in banking his money.

That \$500.00 is in the bank now along with money that the said farmer received for his crop.

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Put your money in our Bank  
You will receive 4 per cent interest.

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BAY ST. LOUIS, MISSISSIPPI.

### Sea Coast Echo.

CHAS. G. MORRIS, Editor and Publisher.  
Official Journal of Bay St. Louis, Miss.  
Official Journal of Hancock County, Miss.

#### POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENT.

THE SEA COAST ECHO is authorized to announce  
**HON. V. A. GRIFFITH** as a candidate for Chancellor of the Eighth Chancery Court District, of Mississippi, in the election to be held on August 2, 1920, to elect a successor to Hon. W. M. Denny, resigned.

#### CITY ECHOES.

—Miss Sallie Chiot spent part of Thursday in Gulfport.  
—Mr. Emmett J. Kergosien, deputy county clerk, spent yesterday in New Orleans.  
—Mrs. A. Toca is spending a while at Abita Springs, La., where her daughter, Mrs. Marcotte, is spending the summer.  
—Mr. and Mrs. Louis Robert and interesting children are among the latest arrivals from New Orleans, and are registered at the Tulane for the summer.  
—Hon. W. A. Cuevas, prominent banker and resident of Pass Christian, was a business visitor to Bay St. Louis Saturday, guest of his relative, Dr. A. A. Kergosien.

—Mrs. Albert Gerard and daughter, and Mrs. Eugene Walker, of Gretna, La., are among the arrivals of the week for the summer. They have leased the Stansell bungalow in Second street.  
—Miss Mattie Word returned to her home in New Orleans yesterday, after a stay of a while visiting at the home of her sister, Mrs. R. de Montuzin. Mrs. Word, who was also here spending a while, returned to her home Sunday.  
—Mr. Thos. J. Taylor, of Houston, Texas, while on his way to Atlanta, Sunday, spent a few hours here visiting at the home of his brother, Mr. W. Taylor. This was his first visit to the Bay and he expressed himself as saying it was the finest place on the map that he had ever visited.

—Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Rush and children were here during the week in their auto from Meridian, visiting their cousin, Dr. B. C. Rush. Mr. Rush is clerk of the circuit court of Lauderdale county, Miss. He is a splendid fellow and made quite a number of friends while here.  
—Mr. W. A. McDonald returned home yesterday from an extensive trip along the Pacific Coast and over the Northwest, spending much of his time in California. His trip was an unusually interesting and pleasant one.

## Joseph O. Mauffray,

### TWO STORES

#### HARDWARE:

IMPLEMENTS,  
UTENSILS,  
CUTLERY,  
TOOLS,  
STOVES,  
RANGES,  
ETC. ETC.

#### DRY GOODS:

A CLEAN LINE OF  
CAREFULLY SE-  
LECTED FABRICS,  
CONSERVATIVELY  
BOUGHT, CON-  
SCIENTIOUSLY  
PRICED FOR YOUR  
DELECTION.

## V. A. GRIFFITH GIVES OUT FORMAL NOTICE OF HIS CANDIDACY.

For Chancellor of Eighth District—  
Aspires to Succeed Judge W.  
M. Denny, Resigned—Is  
Logical Candidate.

HAS HAD BRILLIANT AND SUCCESSFUL CAREER.

Was a Resident of Hancock County  
at One Time and Is Well and  
Popularly Known—Was  
Candidate in 1915.

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Tomatoes at Crystal Springs Bring in \$131,750.

Crystal Springs, Miss.—From the enormous shipments of tomatoes for the past two days it appears that the predictions made a few days ago that the tomato crop would be short is without foundation. Tuesday, at the close of the day's work, fifty-two cars of tomatoes had been loaded and were standing on the track ready for shipment. Wednesday followed a close second with fifty solid cars. All day long there was a stream of vehicles of all kinds, bringing tomatoes to market. These tomatoes sold on an average of 1900 crates to the car, so that the shipment for the day was 100,000 crates. The shipment for Tuesday and Wednesday brought in to the community the sum of \$131,750.

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### WORK STARTS ON PASCAGOUE LA WELL.

The Sea Coast Oil Company, of Pascagoula, received today a carload of piping for their first well and machinery is now on the way. The first well will be put down on the west bank of the East Pascagoula River just opposite the point where the Dentist Ship Building and Dry Dock Company stand during the war. From a geological point of view it is a most favorable site for a test well. The geological records of this section show that the identical geological conditions exist on the Gulf Coast as are to be found in the oil producing regions of other sections of the United States, and it is a universal law of nature that like causes produce like effects.

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## A. & C. THEATRE.

On the Stage

MONDAY, JULY 5TH—  
Jean Sehest in "O' the Sea,"  
and 2-reel Century comedy.

TUESDAY, JULY 6TH—  
Madeline Travers in "The Tatters,"  
and Mutt & Jeff and Fox News.

WEDNESDAY, JULY 7TH—  
Mabel Normand in "Upstairs,"  
and Fox News.

THURSDAY, JULY 8TH—  
William Farnum in "Tale of Two Cities," big Fox Special.

FRIDAY, JULY 9TH—  
All-star cast in "Choosing a Wife,"  
and Fox News.

SATURDAY, JULY 10TH—  
Wallace Reid in "The Lottery Man,"  
and Larry Simon in "2-Reel Comedy," "His Home, Sweet Home."

COMING: "The Eyes of the World" from the famous book by Harold Wright, author of "The Shepherd of the Hills."

PROGRAM NEXT WEEK AT THE  
**VICTORY AIR DOME,**  
Near L. & N. R. Depot.

MONDAY, JULY 5TH—  
Dorothy Gish in "Atta Boy's Last Race," and Ford Weekly.

TUESDAY, JULY 6TH—  
Corinne Griffith in "The Bramble Bush," and Fox News.

WEDNESDAY, JULY 7TH—  
Frank Keenan in "Smouldering Embers," and Pathe News.

THURSDAY, JULY 8TH—  
Anita Stewart in "The Wreck,"  
and Adventure Scenes.

FRIDAY, JULY 9TH—  
Charles Ray in "The Clodhopper,"  
and Star Comedy—"Too Many Burglars."

SATURDAY, JULY 10TH—  
Ressie Burdette in "The Woman Who Understood," and Fox News.

COMMISSIONER'S SALE OF LAND.

—WANTED—Man with team of auto who can give bond to sell of Watkins, home, farm, products. Biggest concern of kind in the world. \$1500 to \$5000 yearly income. Territory in this county open. Write today to J. R. WATKINS CO., Dept. 144, Winona, Minn.

—NOTICE—J. M. Wolbrecht has opened up on the beach, Spornio building, near Washington street, a delicatessen and serves delicious beverages. Mrs. O. Sange, the "Merry Widow," has full charge of the delicatessen department and invites her friends to pay her a call.

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The CHANDLER is one of the most popular medium priced cars on the market needs no praise from us. Its reputation is nationally known.

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We have selected these cars to sell after looking over a great many other well known makes, as the best popular priced car on the market.

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Agents for Hancock, Pearl River, Harrison and Stone Counties, Mississippi.

## THE SERVICE GARAGE,


A. G. NICHOLS, Manager, Bay St. Louis, Miss.



"Both Bone and Brawn" are the results of eating plenty of our "BREAD." It isn't just a "FILL-UP." It's a strength giving food, especially reliable to the growing boy or girl.—Try it for a week, you'll like its taste.—You'll like its results.

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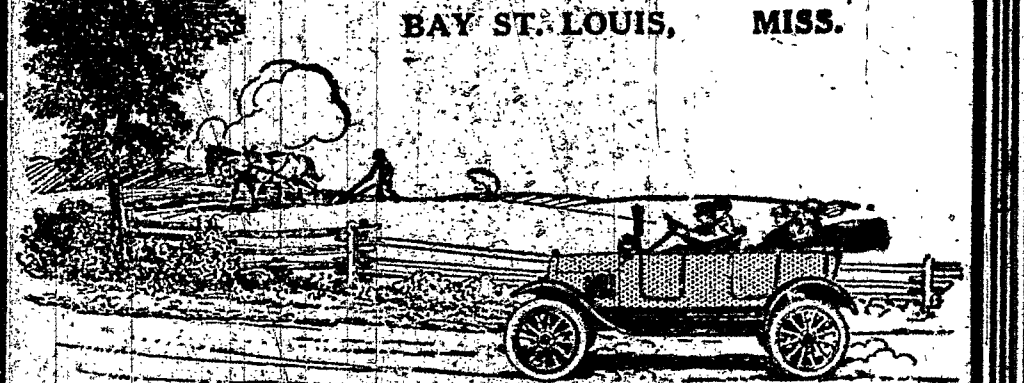
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There are more than 3,000,000 Ford cars in daily service throughout the world, and fully eighty per cent of these are Ford Touring Cars. There are many reasons for this, not the least of which is the simplicity in the design of the car, so easy to understand; likewise it is easy to operate; and mighty inexpensive compared to other motor cars. On the farm, in the city, for business and for family pleasure, it is the car of the people, and the demand is increasing every day. Let us have your order promptly if you want one.

EDWARD S. BROTHERS,  
Local Selling Agents,  
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NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC.

There being an unusually large increase for water supply at present, caused by new supplies demanded for the large number of sanitary fixtures installed the last six months, and the large number of automobiles using water for cleansing, and large number of new subscribers coming in this summer, I beg every patron to keep their fixtures from leaking and stop all waste. Also avoid the use of lawn sprinklers, for which there is an extra charge of \$5.00 when used.

Under existing conditions, for the last two years it has been impossible to make any improvements to increase the water supply.

I must further call the attention of water consumers to the fact that water rents must be paid for in advance; and those that have failed to pay cannot expect to have their supply continued at the expense of those that pay.

I am forced to be more strict in collections in order to avoid loss, on account of large increase of license and taxes.

This is not a pleasant affair for me, but I must work it out the best I can at present.

Thing about the cotton and sugar situation. Can anybody help it?

CHARLES SANGER.

Notice to Build Approach for Ferry Landing.

The Board of Supervisors of Hancock County, Mississippi, will receive bids for building of and approach for Ferry Landing at Peerless Factory. Said pier or approach to be built as per plans and specifications on file in the Clerk's office. Bids will be opened Monday, July 12, 1920.

Proposed by Board of Supervisors, Hancock County, Miss., June 3, 1920.

A. A. KERGOSIEN, Clerk.

How I Cleared the Mill of Rats. By J. Tucker, R. I.

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